

STATEMENT OF PURPOSE

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This proposal amends Idaho Code section 18-3302(1)(n), to permit the use of a printable electronic form for concealed weapons license applications, and to add the applicant's place of birth and citizenship to the application.

The Code currently requires that all concealed weapons license applications be completed in triplicate. The use of triplicate forms is costly to ISP's Bureau of Criminal Identification (BCI), and sheriff's offices find the use of these forms cumbersome. This proposal deletes the requirement that concealed weapons permit applications be in triplicate, therefore allowing for a printable electronic form. This would save approximately \$2,500 per year, a cost that continues to rise. The change also adds the requirement that the form capture place of birth and citizenship, as mandated in federal law. When the applicant is not a US citizen, federal law requires further process.

FISCAL NOTE

There is no significant fiscal impact to this proposal. ISP/BCI may experience savings of up to \$2,500 in the dedicated account from which costs for the forms have been paid.

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